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Unto the East Kingdom College of Heralds and all others who do receive this letter, greetings from Eldrich Gaiman, Eastern Crown Herald!

This ILoI contains submissions received before August 1<sup>st</sup>, 2005 and has 33 numbered items. Commentary, as always, should be sent to the above address and is due on November 15<sup>th</sup>, 2005.

Good luck, and thanks again in advance for all the hard work you do!

In service.

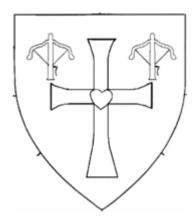
Eldrich Eastern Crown

**1 Benjamin d'Orb** (m) - Resub Device Herald of Record: Robin dit Dessaint

Argent on a cross gule a heart Or between two crossbow azure in chief.

No major changes.

The submitter's name was registered in February 2004. The submitter's previous device, 'Argent, on a fillet cross formy gules between two crossbows in chief and two cinquefoils in base azure a heart Or.' was returned on the East Kingdom September 2004 LoR for using an unidentifiable form of cross and for having a high complexity count.



2 Brianna McBain - New Household Name

Herald of Record: Brianna McBain Submitted Name: *Clan McBain* 

No major changes.

The submitter's name was registered in October 1994.

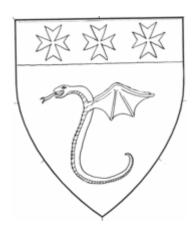
A letter was attached from Hughston McBain, the (real-life) 21st chief of Clan McBain, granting his permission for the submitter to use the clan name within the SCA context.

**3 Collin Monroe of Tadcaster** (m) - Resub Name & Resub Device Herald of Record: Drueta de la Rosa

Argent, a pithon, and on a chief sable three Maltese crosses vert.

No major changes.

The submitter's original name submission, 'Collin Monroe' and identical device submission appeared on the East Kingdom April 2004 ILoI. The name was returned by Eastern Crown for conflict with 'Colin Munro', registered in November of 2000 (via Atlantia). The device was returned for a subsequent lack of a valid name submission.



'Collin' - dated to the 16<sup>th</sup> century s.n. 'Colin' in *The Oxford Dictionary of English Christian Names* by E. G. Withycombe.

'Monroe' - listed variant of s.n. 'Munro' in *The Surnames of Scotland* by George F. Black.

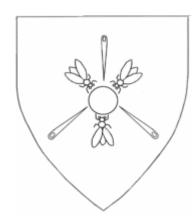
'Tadcaster' - a town located in Northren Yorkshire England. It was the locale for one of the decisive battles fought during the War of the Roses [No source provided].

### 4 Cristoforo Donatello dei Visconti - Resub Device

Herald of Record: Robin dit Dessaint

Purpure in center a plate between two and one bees Or and one and two needles argent, all pointing to center.

The submitter's name was registered in February 2004. The submitter's previous device, 'Purpure, a plate between three bees in pall heads to center Or all within a bordure of three angles each composed of two needles, one needle of each pair having its point enfiled of the eye of the other' was returned on the East Kingdom July 2004 LoR.



**5 Cristoforus of Hastings** (m) - New Name & New Device Herald of Record: Deanna of Tewkesbury

Per bend argent and sable, a cross homety sable and a cat's head cabossed argent.

The client requests authenticity for 12<sup>th</sup> to 14<sup>th</sup> century English.

'Cristoforus' - variation of 'Christopher'. *The Oxford Dictionary of English Christian Names* by E. G. Withycombe pp 65-66 dated to poll tax in 1379.



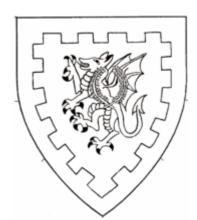
'Hastings' - settlement on Sussex coast (Englind) well-established by 1066, still exists today [No source provided].

**6 des Dragonets, Le Fief** - Resub Group Name & Resub Device Herald of Record: Robin dit Dessaint

*Or, on a dragon gules within a bordure vert a Larel wreath argent.* 

No major changes.

The group's original name submissions, 'The Fort of Dragonet', and identical device submission appeared on the East Kingdom 2003 ILoI. The pair were returned by Eastern Crown for lack of documentation and for lacking valid petitions. Their second name submission,



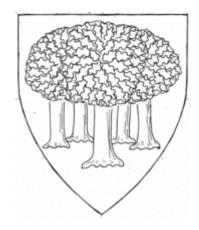
'Dragonet', appeared along with the identical device on the East Kingdom July 2004 ILoI. It was also returned by Eastern Crown for lack of documentation, lack of a group designator, and for lack of a warranted herald of record.

Voici ce que j'ai trouve dans le Dictionnaire des commues du Vaculus de Robert Bailly, 1985 pages 276-278; Au Sud la France, a 4 miles auSud Bollene a 10 Miles au Nord de Orange, au village Mondragon Provance-AlpsCote d'Azur. -Le Chateau fut canstruit par les Dragonet. -En 1143, Guiliame ed Mondragon, fils de Dragoner, lui pretait hommage poue le Chateau. -Dragonet et Amalric de Mondrgon, sont citesen 10. Donc, Dragonet est au depart le nom de la famille qui fit construire lr Chateau. Petition included. Name returned on the July 2004 EK LoR.

**7 Dorio of the Oaks** - New Device Herald of Record: Harold von Auerbach

Argent, a hurst of five oaks azure.

The submitter's name was registered in October 1999.



### **8 Doucette de Verdun** - New Badge Herald of Record: Doucette de Verdun

(Fieldless) Within a horseshoe a fleur-de-lis gules.

The submitter's name was registered in December of 2004.



## **9 Dwynwen of Padstow** - Resub Device Herald of Record: Rowen Cloteworthy

Per fess engrailed argent and azure, a sea-wolf counterchanged sable and argent maintaining a rose sable slipped and leaved vert.

The submitter's name was registered and previous device submission, 'Per fess engrailed argent and azure, a seawolf rampant counterchanged sable and argent maintaining a rose sable slipped and leaved vert', was returned for conflict with James Addison of Woolpit, 'Per fess wavy argent and azure, a sea-wolf erect counterchanged sable

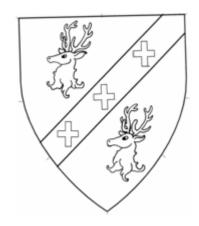
and argent, scaly vert' on the November 2002 LoAR. This submission features the addition of a charge group.



**10 Edmund Patterson** - New Device Herald of Record: Alys Mackyntoich

Vert, on a bend sinister between two stag's heads erased argent, three crosses couped sable.

The name was registered in February 2005.



**11 Efa verch Cynan** (f) - New Name & New Device Herald of Record: Leviathan

Per bend sinister azure and vert a greyhound passant Or.

No major changes.

The client requests authenticity for 12<sup>th</sup> century Welsh.

'Efa' - *Enwau Cymraeg I Blant: Welsh Names for Children* by Heini **Gruffudd**, p35 dates the name to 1166.

'Cynan' - ibid., dated to 1060, 1174, 1242.



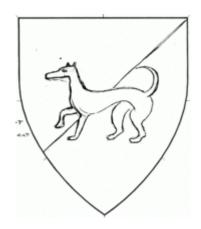
**12 Eldrich Gaiman** - New Device Herald of Record: Eldrich Gaiman

Barry wavy ermine and sable.

The submitter's name was registered on the October 2004 LoAR along with a badge, '(Fieldless) Three dice one and two conjoined argent spotted sable', and a device, 'Per pale vert and sable, a dragon segreant maintaining a chess-rook, a double tressure argent', which was changed to a badge upon the registration of another device, 'Per pale counter-ermine and vairy argent and vert', on the December 2004

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LoAR. Upon the successful registration of this device, the submitter releases both his current device and his original device (now a badge).



### 13 Elinor Strangewayes and Ulrichdes Dunkeln Bergs - New

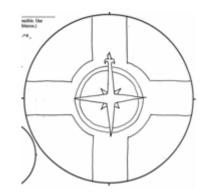
Household Name & New Joint Badge Herald of Record: Harold von Auerbach Submitted Name: *House Strangeways* 

Or, on a cross nowy azure, a compass rose Or.

No changes.

'Elinor Strangewayes' and 'Ulrich des Dunkelberges' were both forwarded to Laurel on the East Kingdom May 2005 XLoI.

[No documentation was provided.]

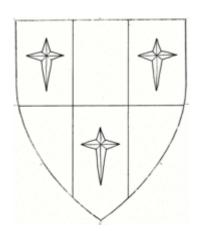


### **14 Fillipe de Bordeaux** (m) - New Name & New Device Herald of Record: Harold von Auerbach

Per fess azure and Or, a pale counterchanged and three crosses estoile Or.

The client requests authenticity for an unspecified language/culture.

'Fillipe' - French masculine given name found in Colm Dubh's "An Index to the Given Names in the 1292 Census of Paris" (http://www.sca.org/heraldry/laurel/names/paris.html).



'de Bordeaux' - city and a region in southwest France most noted for its wine trade, claimed by Henry II of England when he maried Eleanor of Aquitaine [No source provided].

## **15 Gabriel of Maccuswell** - Resub Device Herald of Record: Rowen Cloteworthy

Per bend sinister argent and sable, a winged trumpet counterchanged all within a bordure embattled vert.

The submitter's name was registered in March of 2001 via the East. The submitter's previous submission was returned on the June 2004 LoAR for unidentifiability. This submission is a redraw featuring artwork copied from the submitter's currently registered badge, '(Fieldless) A winged trumpet palewise Or.', which was registered in March of 2001.



**16 Galefridus Peregrinus** (m) - New Name & New Device Herald of Record: Alys Mackyntoich

Argent a fess argent fretty gules between 3 stags heads caboshed argent.

'Galefridus' - form of 'Geoffrey' found twice in this spelling in **Talan Gwynek's** ''Given Names from Early 13<sup>th</sup> Century England'' (http://www.sca.org/heraldry/laurel/names/eng13/eng13.html).

'Peregrinus' - <u>A Dictionary of English Surnames</u>, Revised Edition by

P.H. Reaney & R.M. Wilson s.n. 'Pilgrim'. Also, Jeanne Marie Lacroix's ''Misplaced Names found in <u>A Dictionary of English Surnames</u>'' (

http://www.sca.org/heraldry/laurel/names/misplacednames.htm ) lists the name dated to 1189-

**17 Iustinos Branov** (m) - New Name Herald of Record: Iustinos Branov

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The client requests authenticity for 13<sup>th</sup> century Byzanto-Russian.

'Iusttinos' - The submitter prefers the spellings 'Iustinos' or 'Iustins', but will accept 'Iustin'.

'Iustinos' - Bardas Xiphias's ''Common Names of the Aristocracy in the Roman Empire During the 6<sup>th</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup> Centuries'' (
http://www.sca.org/heraldry/laurel/names/byzantine/early byz names.html).

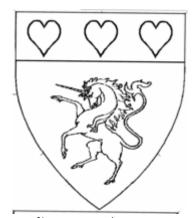
'Branov' - **Paul Wickenden of Thanet's** ''Russian Names Database'' (<a href="http://www.sca.org/heraldry/laurel/../paul/">http://www.sca.org/heraldry/laurel/../paul/</a>).

**18 Jenievre McDermot** (f) - Resub Name & Resub Device Herald of Record: Robin dit Dessaint

Purpure, a unicorn rampant argent on a chief argent, three hearts vert.

No major changes.

The submitter's previously submitted name, 'Jenieve McGrail', and device, 'Quarterly vert and purpure, a unicorn rampant argent', appeared on the East Kingdom July 2004 ILoI and were returned by Eastern Crown for lack of documentation and for conflict with Janusch der Wasserman (January 1998 via the Middle), 'Azure maily Or, a unicorn salient argent'.



**19 John Willams** - Resub Name & Resub Device Herald of Record: Robin dit Dessaint

Argent on a chevron azure three fleur-de-lis argent, in a base a stags head caboshed gules.

The submitter's name was returned for conflict with the modern composer, 'John Willims', and device was returned on the East Kingdom September 2004 LoR.



Karen Larsdatter's "An Index to the 1523 Subsidy Roll for York and Ainsty, England" (<a href="http://www.sca.org/heraldry/laurel/names/york16/index.htm">http://www.sca.org/heraldry/laurel/names/york16/index.htm</a>) lists 203 occurences of 'John'and 209 occurences of 'Willam'.

Karen Larsdatter's "An Index to the 1296 Lay Subsidy Rolls for Rutland, England" (<a href="http://www.sca.org/heraldry/laurel/names/Rutland/index.htm">http://www.sca.org/heraldry/laurel/names/Rutland/index.htm</a>) lists 164 occurances of 'John' and 248 occurences of 'William'.

Talan Gwynek's "Given Names from Early 13<sup>th</sup> Century England" (<a href="http://www.sca.org/heraldry/laurel/names/eng13/eng13.html">http://www.sca.org/heraldry/laurel/names/eng13/eng13.html</a>) lists 126 occurences of 'William' and 70 occurences of 'John'.

Talan Gwynek's "Late 16<sup>th</sup> Century English Given Names" (
<a href="http://www.sca.org/heraldry/laurel/names/eng16/eng16.html">http://www.sca.org/heraldry/laurel/names/eng16/eng16.html</a>) lists 1215 occurences of 'Jon' and 786 occurences of 'William'.

### **20 Katherine de Staverton** (f) - New Name

Herald of Record: Alys Mackyntoich

'Katherine' - Talan Gwynek's "Feminine Given Names in <u>A Dictionary of English Surnames</u>" (<a href="http://www.sca.org/heraldry/laurel/reaneyintro.html">http://www.sca.org/heraldry/laurel/reaneyintro.html</a>) dates this spelling to 1316 s.n. 'Curzon', to 1392 s.n. 'Bathurst', to 1510 s.n. 'Wenborn', to 1516 s.n. 'Chipperfield', to 1697 s.n. 'Elesende'. This spelling also found dated to 1420 in **Julian Goodwyn's** "English Names found in Brass Enscriptions" (<a href="http://www.sca.org/heraldry/laurel/names/brasses/">http://www.sca.org/heraldry/laurel/names/brasses/</a>).

'De' - locative, contnues to appear appear in English surnames well into the 1500s, see e.g. **Julian Goodwyn's** ''English Names found in Brass Enscriptions'' (
http://www.sca.org/heraldry/laurel/names/brasses/).

'Satverton' - place name found in <u>A Dictionary of English Place-Names</u> by A.D. Mills, p.325. Also found as a surname dated to 1430 in **Julian Goodwyn's** 'English Names found in Brass Enscriptions' (http://www.sca.org/heraldry/laurel/names/brasses/).

**21 Konrad von Altorff** (m) - New Name & New Device Herald of Record: Alys Mackyntoich

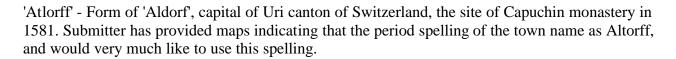
Gyronny of eight Or and sablle, a cross couped argent.

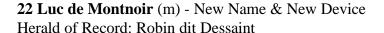
No major changes.

'Konrad' - Talan Gwynek's ''Late Period German Masculine Given Names'' (

http://www.sca.org/heraldry/laurel/names/germmasc.html ). Also, <u>Dictionary of German Names</u> by Hans Bahlow (translated by Edda Gentry) p. 279, s.n. 'Konrad'.

'von' - locative.





Argent a sword with a unicorn head handle sable. A bordure sable, a seme of cog wheel argent.

No major changes.

[No documantation was provided.]



# **23 Lysebet van der Wilgen** (f) - New Name & New Device Herald of Record: Lady Alayne

Gules, on a bend sinister sable fimbriated argent, three mullets argent, a talbot passant and a willow branch couped sinister base Or.

No major changes.

The client requests authenticity for the period 1350-1450.

'Lysebet' - dated as Dutch within the periods 1200-1350 and 1358-1361



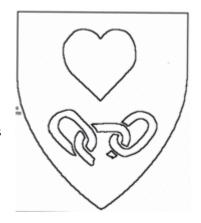
on the Academy of St. Gabriel report #3036 ( <a href="http://www.panix.com/~gabriel/public-bin/showfinal.cgi/3036.txt">http://www.panix.com/~gabriel/public-bin/showfinal.cgi/3036.txt</a> ) attached.

'van der Wilgen' - ibid., also Dutch meaning "of the willow", 1488-9. The report summarizes with direct support for the submitted name for a Dutch woman from 1200-1350.

### **24 Maximilian Gunn** - Resub Device Herald of Record: Marcus Blackaert

Sable, in pale a heart and a chain of three links the center one broken to base.

The submitter's previous device submission, which was identical to this one, was returned on the East Kingdom September 2003 LoR for conflict with Solondra Carryl (December 1983 via Meridies): 'Sable, a heart argent'. A letter of permission to conflict was included with this resubmission.



**25 Moira of Kildare** (f) - New Name & New Device Herald of Record: Harlod von Amerbach

Per saltire purpure and Or, a fret counterchanged.

No major changes.

The client requests authenticity for 16<sup>th</sup> century Irish and cares most about the language an/or culture.

'Moira' - Anglacized form of Márie, which occured as a lady the Bassetts of the Glynns of Antrim in the 14<sup>th</sup> century. and occassionally among the MacSweenys and Burkes in the 16<sup>th</sup> century, says *Irish Names* by Donnchadh ÓCorraín & Fidelma Maguire p133

'Kildare' - a town and county west and south of Dublin [no source provided].

**26 Nicola Angelini** (f) - New Name & New Device Herald of Record: Alys Mackyntoich

Gules on a bend between two standing seraphs affronty argent, three quatrefoils gules.

'Niccola' - appears in Arval Benicoeur's "Feminine Given Names from the Online Catasto of Florence of 1427" (http://www.s-gabriel.org/names/arval/catasto/). Talan Gwynek's "14<sup>th</sup> Century Venetian Personal Names" (http://www.s-gabriel.org/names/arval/venice14/) list several names that are pet forms. The Masculine form, 'Nicolo', is found spelled with a single 'c' in David Herlihy, R. Burr Lichfield, Anthony Molho, & Roberto Barducci's "Florentine Renaissance Resources: Online Tratte of Office Holders 1282-1532" (http://www.stg.brown.edu/projects/tratte/)

'Angelini' - two instances of this surname are recorded in David Herlihy, R. Burr Lichfield, Anthony Molho, & Roberto Barducci's "Florentine Renaissance Resources: Online Tratte of Office Holders 1282-1532" (http://www.stg.brown.edu/projects/tratte/).

## **27 Pascual de la Mar** - Resub Device Herald of Record: Alys Mackyntoich

Per bend gules and azure, two hammehead sharks naiant in annulo argent.

The submitter's name was registered on the October 2004 LoAR. The submitter's original device submission, 'Per bend rayonny gules and azure, in bend sinister two hammerhead sharks naiant in annulo argent', appeared on the East Kingdom October 2003 ILoI and was returned by Eastern Crown in December of 2003 for style problems. This submission features new artwork and a slightly adjusted design.



**28 Philadelphia Brown** (f) - New Name & New Device Herald of Record: Deiniol ap Gwrgwst

Gyronny of eight Or and gules, a brown mare rapmant proper.

No major changes.

The client requests authenticity for 16<sup>th</sup> century English.

'Philadelphia' - <u>The Oxford Dictionary of English Christian Names</u> by E. G. Withycombe p244 [no date cited].



'Brown' - <u>A Dictionary of English Surnames</u>, Revised Edition by P.H. Reaney & R.M. Wilson p68 and <u>A Dictionary of English and Welsh Surnames</u> by Charles Wareing Bardsley p139 [no date cited].

**29 Rosette de Rheims** (f) - New Name Herald of Record: Rowen Cloteworthy

No major changes.

'Rosette' - Constructed name using '-ette', a French diminutive. From Colm Dubh's "An Index to the Given Names in the 1292 Census of Paris" (

http://www.sca.org/heraldry/laurel/names/paris.html ), there are two instances of the name 'Rose'. From the same source, we find the diminutives as shown by 'Luce la Berote' and 'Lucete (une) chamberière', 'Mabile la plasrière' and 'Mabilete (une) niece', and 'Typhainne la cière' and 'Typhenete (une) chamberière'. Altough these examples only show construction of the diminutive with one 't', from Talan Gwynek's ''Late Period Feminine Names from the South of France'' (http://www.sca.org/heraldry/laurel/names/latefrenchfem.html) we find the following examples: 'Johanna' - 1514 (2), 'Johanetta' - 1357 (2), 'Johneta' - 1425 (2), 'Margarette' - 1528, 'Marguaritte' - 1528, 'Margot' - 1514, 'Maria' - 1514 (2), 'Marette' - 1528, 'Marieta' - 1435, 1514, 1521.

The client is willing to accept 'Rosete' if 'Rosette' is unacceptable, and 'Rose if necessary.

'de' - French preposition "of".

'Rheims' - City found in the Champagne region of France throughout period, as cited in attached copies from *The Columbia Encyclopedia*, *Sixth Edition* ( <a href="http://www.bartleby.com/65/">http://www.bartleby.com/65/</a>).

**30 Sergio da Verona** - Resub Device Herald of Record: Robin dit Dessaint

On a bordure invected gule a crossbow nature.

The submitter's name was registered in Feburary 2005. The submitter's original device submission, 'Or, a crossbow proper between two dragon wings elevated and displayed and a bordure invected gules', appeared on the East Kingdom July 2004 ILoI and was returned by Eastern Crown in September 2004.



**31 Sonja Ryzvaja** (f) - Resub Name & Resub Device Herald of Record: Rowen Cloteworthy

Per pale sable and vert, a catamount salient contourny argent spotted sable within a bordure argent.

No major changes.

The original name submission 'Sonja Ryzaja' was returned on the June 2004 LoAR with the following comments:

"The submitted name, Sonja Ryzaja, was transcribed using the International Phonetic transcription system as described on p. ix of Wickenden, Dictionary of Period Russian Names. However, the submitter appears to have confused the transcription for the 8th character, {zv}--z-hachek, for that of the 9th character in the table, z. This transcription system gives Sonja Ry{zv}aja as the correct form of this name. We would change it to this form, but she will not accept any changes. Therefore, we are forced to return it."

This submission changes the name to the suggested spelling and allows for minor changes.

**32 Theobald Hafoc** (m) - New Name & New Device Herald of Record: Alison Wodehalle

Vert, a hawk contouny wings addorsed argent and in chief a flame proper.

No major changes.

'Theobald' - <u>A Dictionary of English Surnames</u>, Revised Edition by **P.H. Reaney & R.M. Wilson**, p443 s.n. 'Theobald' dates the name



'Theobaldus' to 1161-77 and to 1206 as a given name.

'Hafoc' - ibid. s.n. 'Hawk' says, "Osbertus Filius Hause c.1115 is probaly to be identified - Osbern Hauoc. His father bore the OE name of Hafoc 'Hawk'." Also, *The Concise Oxford Dictionary of English Place-Names*, *Fourth Edition* by Eilert Ekwall s.n. 'Hawkschurch' dated to 1196 "Hafoc's Church", 'Hawksbury' dated to 1183 "Hafoc's Burg", 'Hawkinge' dated to 1204 as a derivative of 'hafoc' "hawk", and 'Hawkley' dated to 1255 from OE 'hfoc-lah' "hawk wood".

**33 Uther McDermont** (m) - Resub Name & Resub Device Herald of Record: Robin dit Dessaint

Sable a bear passant argent in chief, 3 fleur de lys sable.

No major changes.

Name registered on the February 2005 LoAR. The submitter's previous device submission, 'Sable, a bear passant argent', appeared on the East Kingdom July 2004 ILoI and was returned by Eastern Crown in September of 2004 for conflict with the arms of Daniel Davidson



(April 1998 via Atlantia): 'Sable, a bear passant, a base indented argent'. This submission includes several differences from that conflict.

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